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16. (Amended) A method for managing a plurality of services located on a plurality of servers as an extensible service bus on a first network, comprising:

providing a registration service where an agent machine can register as a subscriber with the extensible service bus and receive a subscriber identification;

providing a login service where the agent machine subscribers can connect to the extensible service bus ~~and receive a~~ using the subscriber identification;

providing a service map management service that receives server location information from each of the plurality of services and generates a service location map comprising a listing of at least one of the plurality of the services included on the extensible service bus and server location information corresponding to each service of the at least one service;

providing a connection status service to monitor the connection status of subscribers and the servers connected to the extensible service bus; and providing a second network service, wherein

the second network service controls the agent machine when the second machine accesses a second network, and
the first network comprises the second network.

17. (Amended) The method for managing services of claim 16, further comprising:

-providing a subscriber profile database service that stores subscriber data that is required for access to the extensible service bus.

18. (Amended) The method for managing services of claim 16, further comprising:

transmitting a copy of the service location map to each subscriber to the extensible service bus.

19. (Amended) The method for managing services of claim 16, wherein the ~~step of providing a~~ the service location map comprises:

-selecting ~~the server location information~~ at least one service based on server load balancing techniques.

20. (Amended) The method for managing services of claim 16, further comprising:

providing a message posting service for sending messages directly to ~~a~~ the subscriber when the subscriber is connected to the extensible service bus.

21. (New) The method for managing services of claim 16, wherein the second network comprises a broadband network; and the second network service is provided only by the broadband network.

22. (New) A computer program product comprising:

first instructions for providing a registration service where an agent machine can register as a subscriber with the extensible service bus and receive a subscriber identification;

second instructions for providing a login service where the agent machine can connect to the extensible service bus using the subscriber identification;

third instructions for providing a service map management service that receives server location information from each of the plurality of services and generates a service location map comprising a listing of at least one of the plurality of the services included on the extensible service bus and server location information corresponding to each service of the at least one service;

fourth instructions for providing a connection status service to monitor the connection status of subscribers and the servers connected to the extensible service bus; and

fifth instructions for providing a second network service, wherein

the second network service controls the agent machine when the second machine accesses a second network, and
the first network comprises the second network.

23. (New) A system comprising:

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a registration service where an agent machine can register as a subscriber with the extensible service bus and receive a subscriber identification;
a login service where the agent machine can connect to the extensible service bus using the subscriber identification;
a service map management service that receives server location information from each of the plurality of services and generates a service location map comprising a listing of at least one of the plurality of the services included on the extensible service bus and server location information corresponding to each service of the at least one service;
a connection status service to monitor the connection status of subscribers and the servers connected to the extensible service bus; and
a second network service, wherein
the second network service controls the agent machine when the second machine accesses a second network, and
the first network comprises the second network.

24. (New) A server computer system comprising:

a processor for executing instructions; and
a memory for storing the instruction, wherein the instructions comprise:
first instructions for providing a registration service where an agent machine can register as a subscriber with the extensible service bus and receive a subscriber identification;
second instructions for providing a login service where the agent machine can connect to the extensible service bus using the subscriber identification;

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third instructions for providing a service map management service that receives server location information from each of the plurality of services and generates a service location map comprising a listing of at least one of the plurality of the services included on the extensible service bus and server location information corresponding to each service of the at least one service;

fourth instructions for providing a connection status service to monitor the connection status of subscribers and the servers connected to the extensible service bus; and

fifth instructions for providing a second network service, wherein the second network service controls the agent machine when the second machine accesses a second network, and the first network comprises the second network.
